# Early Reading First Program CFDA Numbers 84.359A and 84.359B Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: ED-GRANTS-122807-001

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Feb 01, 2008 Applications Available:
December 28, 2007. Deadline for
Transmittal of Pre-Applications:
February 1, 2008. Requirements
concerning the content of the preapplication and the full application,
together with the forms you must submit,
are in the application package for this

Current Closing Date for Applications: competition. Pre-Application: All

applicants must apply in the preapplication phase; as explained in the application package, only selected applicants will be invited to submit a full application. Deadline for Transmittal of Full Applications: April 18, 2008 (for applicants invited to submit full

applications only).

Expected Number of Awards: 25

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$116,489,340

CFDA Number: 84.359 -- Early Reading First

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# **Eligible Applicants**

Eligible Applicants: Under this competition, eligible applicants are (a) one or more local educational agencies (LEAs), including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law, that are eligible to receive a subgrant under the Reading First program (Title I, Part B, Subpart 1 of the ESEA; (b) one or more public or private organizations or agencies (including faith-based organizations) located in a community served by an eligible LEA; or (c) one or more eligible LEAs, applying in collaboration with one or more eligible organizations or agencies. To qualify under paragraph (b) of this definition, the organization's or agency's application must be on behalf of one or more programs that

serve preschool-aged children (such as a Head Start program, a child care program, a family literacy program such as Even Start, or a lab school at a university), unless the organization or agency itself operates a preschool program. Lists, by State, of LEAs that qualify under paragraph (a) of this definition for this FY 2008 competition are posted on the Early Reading First Web site at http://www.ed.gov/programs/earlyreading/eligibility.html. These lists are based on the most recent information provided by each State and the Bureau of Indian Education (BIE) to the Department's Reading First program, and are posted for the convenience of Early Reading First applicants. However, we consider it to be each applicant's responsibility to verify with the Reading First office in its State, or with the BIE, as appropriate, whether a particular LEA is eligible to receive a subgrant under the Reading First program as of the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register. A list of State and BIE contacts

for this purpose is also posted at the Early Reading First Web site at http://www.ed.govprograms/earlyreading/eligibility.html.

# **Description**

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#### **Link to Full Announcement**

Early Reading First Program CFDA Numbers 84.359A and 84.359B; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 2008

http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppId=16372

#### U.S. Department of Education

Preparation of Leadership Personnel CFDA 84.325D Modification 3

Document Type: Modification to Previous Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: ED-GRANTS-112707-001

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Jan 04, 2008 Applications Available:

Current Closing Date for Applications: 11/27/2007. Deadline for Transmittal of

Applications: 01/04/2008

Expected Number of Awards: 25

Award Ceiling: \$200,000

CFDA Number: 84.325 -- Special Education -

Personnel Development to Improve Services and Results for Children with

Disabilities

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# **Eligible Applicants**

Private institutions of higher education

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Eligible Applicants: Institutions of higher education (IHEs).

# **Description**

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You may access the electronic grant application for the Personnel Development to Improve Services and Results for Children with Disabilities program competitions--CFDA numbers 84.325D, 84.325K, 84.325R, and 84.325T at http://www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this program by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.325, not 84.325D). The telephone number for the Grants.gov Helpdesk is 1-800-518-4726.

#### **Link to Full Announcement**

<u>Preparation of Leadership Personnel CFDA 84.325D; Correction: Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 2008</u>

http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppId=16056

U.S. Department of Education Grants To Reduce Alcohol Abuse CFDA 84.184A Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: ED-GRANTS-010308-001

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Feb 19, 2008 Applications Available:

Current Closing Date for Applications: January 3, 2008. Deadline for Transmittal

of Applications: February 19, 2008.

Expected Number of Awards: 70

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$24,500,000

CFDA Number: 84.184 -- Safe and Drug-Free Schools

and Communities National Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# **Eligible Applicants**

Eligible Applicants: (a) LEAs, including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law. (b) The Secretary limits eligibility under this discretionary grant competition to LEAs that do not currently have an active grant under the Grants to Reduce Alcohol Abuse program. For the purpose of this eligibility requirement, a grant is considered active until the end of the grant's project or funding period, including any extensions of those periods that extend the grantee's authority to obligate funds.

#### **Description**

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requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: This program provides grants to local educational agencies (LEAs) to develop and implement innovative and effective programs to reduce alcohol abuse in secondary schools. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.184A. If you choose to submit your application electronically, you must use the Governmentwide Grants.gov. Apply site at http://www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not e-mail an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for Grants to Reduce Alcohol Abuse at http://www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.184, not 84.184A). The telephone number for the Grants.gov Helpdesk is 1-800-518-4726.

#### **Link to Full Announcement**

Grants To Reduce Alcohol Abuse CFDA 84.184A; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 2008

http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=16403

U.S. Department of Education

84.282A Charter School Program State Education Agencies Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: ED-GRANTS-120307-001

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Feb 03, 2008 Applications Available:

.. December 3, 2007. Deadline for

Current Closing Date for Applications: Transmittal of Applications: February 1,

2008.

Expected Number of Awards: 8

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$47,000,000

CFDA Number: 84.282 -- Charter Schools

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# Eligible Applicants

Eligible Applicants: State educational agencies (SEA) in States with a State statute specifically authorizing the establishment of charter schools. Note: Non-SEA eligible applicants in States in which the SEA elects not to participate in or does not have an application approved under the CSP may apply for funding directly from the Department. The Department plans to hold a separate competition for non-SEA eligible applicants under CFDA Nos. 84.282B and 84.282C.

#### **Description**

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#### **Link to Full Announcement**

Charter School Program State Education Agencies CFDA 84.282; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 2008

http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppId=16120

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U.S. Department of Education
Grants for School-Based Student Drug-Testing Programs CFDA 84.184D

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: ED-GRANTS-121807-001

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Current Closing Date for Applications: Mar 21, 2008 Dates: Applications

Available: December 18, 2007.

Deadline for Transmittal of Applications:

March 21, 2008.

Expected Number of Awards: 85

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$12,750,000

CFDA Number: 84.184 -- Safe and Drug-Free Schools

and Communities National Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

### **Eligible Applicants**

Eligible Applicants: LEAs, including charter schools that are considered LEAs under state law, and public and private entities that do not currently have an active grant under the Department of Education's School-Based Student Drug-Testing Programs (CFDA 84.184D). Note: For the purpose of this eligibility requirement, a grant is considered active until the end of the grant's project or funding period, including any extensions of those periods that extend the grantee's authority to obligate funds. This eligibility requirement is from the notice of final eligibility requirement published in the Federal Register on December 4, 2006 (71 FR 70369).

# Description

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#### Link to Full Announcement

<u>Grants for School-Based Student Drug-Testing Programs CFDA 84.184D; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 2008</u>

# U.S. Department of Education

Current Closing Date for

Applications:

Indian Education Formula Grants to Local Educational Agencies CFDA 84.060A Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: ED-GRANTS-121907-001

Opportunity Category: Mandatory

Apr 04, 2008 Part I of the Formula Grant Electronic Application System for Indian Education (EASIE) Applications Available:

December 14, 2007. Deadline for Transmittal of PART I Applications:

January 31, 2008. Part II of Formula Grant (EASIE) Applications Available: February 25, 2008. Deadline for Transmittal of Part II Applications: April 4, 2008. Applications not

meeting the deadline for Part I will not be considered for funding in the initial

allocation of awards. Applications or data submissions under Part II will be accepted

only from those eligible applicants that

meet the Part I deadline.

Apr 04, 2008 Part I of the Formula Grant Electronic Application System for Indian Education (EASIE) Applications Available: December 14, 2007. Deadline for Transmittal of PART I Applications: January 31, 2008. Part II

of Formula Grant (EASIE) Applications Available: February 25, 2008. Deadline for

Current Closing Date for Applications: Available: 1 editary 23, 2008. Deadline for Transmittal of Part II Applications: April 4,

2008. Applications not meeting the deadline for Part I will not be considered for funding in the initial allocation of awards. Applications or data submissions under Part II will be accepted only from those eligible applicants that meet the

Part I deadline.

Expected Number of Awards: 1260

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$95,331,000

CFDA Number: 84.060 -- Indian Education Grants to Local

**Educational Agencies** 

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# **Eligible Applicants**

Eligible Applicants: LEAs, including charter schools authorized as LEAs under State law, certain schools funded by the Bureau of Indian Education of the

Department of the Interior, and Indian tribes under certain conditions, as prescribed by section 7112(c) of the ESEA.

# **Description**

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#### **Link to Full Announcement**

Indian Education Formula Grants to Local Educational Agencies CFDA 84.060A; Notice Inviting Applications for Fiscal Year (FY) 2008

http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=16280